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FOR: METHOD FOR SCREENING BIOMOLEGULE ACTIVITY REGULATOR

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Official Action dated May 21, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Abstract begins on page 2 of this response.

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 3 of this response.

Support for the Amendment begins on page 6 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this response.

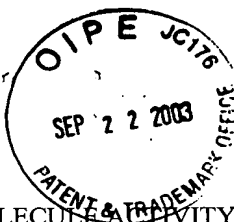
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Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment and Request for Reconsideration** in the above-identified application.

- ☐ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Request for Extension of Time (1 month), Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, Cited References (6)

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- ☒ If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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